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## A Legacy of Life in Rochester

### Daniel "Tuck" Hartley and His Wife Are Vital Part of Town's Rich Past

Rochester certainly has its share of legendary family names. Among the most prominent is the Hartley family, whose roots span almost the entire history of the scenic, rural town.

And like all historical legacies, the Hartley family boasts two interrelated and strikingly familiar landmarks which share a common name — one in human and one in structural form.

The historic façade of Hartley's Garage still stands on Pine Street, impervious to the many coastal storms and hurricanes that are typical to the area. Its founder and namesake, Daniel "Tuck" Hartley, remains as solid and sound as the thriving gas station and auto garage business he built up nearly a half-century ago.

"In 1947 the garage was built and I moved in on January 1, 1948. They poured the cement in November and I kept on the project until we moved in," Mr. Hartley said during a recent interview. "It

was always known as Hartley's Garage until I sold it (in 1983)."

The full-service Gulf gas station and garage, now owned by Cranberry Associates, once catered to innumerable customers in the tri-town area and specialized in everything from car and boat repair to painting buses — a natural sideline for Mr. Hartley who also worked as a part-time school bus driver.

"Now that I think of it, the trouble was I had too many jobs," he said. "I had a lot to do all the time and worked long hours. I drove a school bus besides running the garage ... and sold John Deere farm and commercial equipment."

As if those jobs weren't enough to keep him busy, Mr. Hartley also served as a volunteer fire fighter for the Town of Rochester, where he worked as both Assistant Fire Chief for ten years and Fire Chief for another decade.

He first became involved with the

*Happy Birthday! Nancy and I are delighted to add our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes on this joyous occasion. It is our special hope that your celebration will be a beautiful reflection of the rich life you've led. May you enjoy every happiness and God's richest blessings in the year to come and always.*  
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On the cover: An aerial view of the historic Hartley's Garage and surrounding property in August of 1953, just five years after "Tuck" Hartley had the structure built and opened as a full-service station. (Photo courtesy of Alice E. Hartley).

Right: A reproduction of the note sent to "Tuck" Hartley from President and Mrs. Reagan on the occasion of his 81st birthday.

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department as a young teenager after his father was injured and became unable to do any strenuous work.

"My father, Daniel E. Hartley, was a Fire Warden, and he was (injured) so I started around 13 years old with the Fire Department," he said. "I started with the fire department when all we had to use were hand extinguishers and pump tanks."

Mr. Hartley also takes pride in the fact that he was the first to suggest using the existing building — once site of the Waterman School — as the town Fire Barn during a Town Meeting in the early 1950's.

"I fathered the idea to change the school into the fire station," he said. "They were going to junk the building and I thought it would be a perfect place for the fire station. Although most people didn't agree with me at first, (Town Meeting) unanimously passed the motion and many people thanked me after that."

Over his 81 years of life in Rochester, Mr.

Hartley has been privy to many changes as the town has grown and developed. And like many of the town's more "traditional" residents, there are things he both welcomes and resists.

"Well, take my business," he said. "We used to have five gas stations in Rochester, now we have just one.

"I've seen a real lot of changes in Rochester over the years. I remember when I was 10 or 12 years old, there was only one town road in Rochester — that was Route 105. And only one house had electricity — that was Eastover Farm ... it wasn't even public electricity, they had their own generator."

Having grown up in Rochester as a tightly-knit, mostly-residential community, it's understandable that Mr. Hartley thinks things are developing too fast, especially in terms of population.

"I liked Rochester mostly because it was a small town," he said. "Now it's getting overpopulated. I don't know what they're going to do about it."

"The problem is they need a study committee to determine the future growth of the town," agreed Mr. Hartley's wife, Alice. "The town is becoming too full of residential buildings — homes — which causes an increase the school population and the need for higher taxes to pay for them. The town needs more commercial areas to offset these expenses."

Mrs. Hartley speaks from experience when she discusses the need for increased funding for schools, having worked as a teacher both in the district (Old Rochester Regional High School) and in

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Though the years have taken their toll on the couple — in particular Mrs. Hartley who has been ill of late — they remain comfortable and content to spend their retirement years together in the town where they were raised, met and nurtured a family of their own.

Their only daughter, Judith M. (Hartley) MacKinnon, now lives in Marion with her husband, William, and son Daniel. Their granddaughter, Lauren, lives in Peabody, MA.

Having just turned 81 this past February 6, Mr. Hartley shares a birthday with two other well-known personalities — one local and one national. Mattapoissett insurance businessman Giles Dunn and

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former United States President Ronald Reagan both celebrated their birthdays on February 6. In fact, at the instigation of Mr. Dunn, President and Mrs. Reagan recently sent a personal birthday note to Mr. Hartley, which he proudly shared with *The Wanderer*. President Reagan is exactly one year old than Mr. Hartley.

Although he admits to favoring his bus driving duties over the others, Mr. Hartley seems content to have led a full — if somewhat busy — life. He seems ready at last, almost relieved, to finally settle down and enjoy himself.

"I'm tired and retired," he said. "I gave up bus driving in 1981 ... and worked over the garage until 1983, when I stopped working full-time for good."

Even though he's still officially "on call" with the Fire Department, he's now concentrating on enjoying some long overdue time with his wife.

### Mattapoissett Selectmen's Meeting

February 16, 1993

By Bethany Morgan

A regular meeting of the Mattapoissett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, February 16 at 7:04 pm by Chairman John N. DeCosta. Also present were Selectman Daniel O. Mahoney and Executive Secretary Carol Adams.

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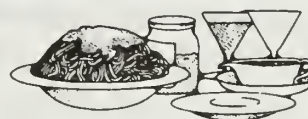
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Selectman Paul Lambalot was delayed in Buffalo, NY.

First on the agenda was a motion to establish a standard policy concerning the reimbursement of motor vehicle expenses for town employees for business use. The standard mileage rate is determined by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for the business use of motor vehicles, parking fees and tolls to be added to standard mileage. The policy will take effect July 1.

Next a meeting with Town Accountant Joseph R. Bolton regarding an analysis of Mattapoissett's current fiscal 1993 Operating Budget. Budgeted revenues and expenditures to date were compared to last year's amounts as of December 31, 1992. Out of the \$753,067 in committed Local Receipts, the Town has received \$330,837, or 44 percent of what is expected. Mr. Bolton stated that the numbers are low due to the timing of the commitments. Out of the \$899,908 in committed Enterprise Receipts, the Town has received \$446,760, or 49.6 percent of what is expected. Out of \$8,759,629 allotted for Operating Expenses, \$4,494,019, or 51.3 percent of the budget has been expended.

Selectman Mahoney closed this portion of the meeting with Mr. Bolton by stating, "Well done." Mr. Bolton requested a 5 percent increase in salary for fiscal 1994 to be considered by the Board. The Board will take this increase into consideration.

The meeting continued with the signing of the payroll and bills followed by the signing of leases, permits, and correspondence. Permission was granted to ComGas for the installation of a new gas service at Alderberry Lane for 5 Winterhill Road.

The review of incoming correspondence included:

- Charles A. Morgan and Cecile Callahan expressing their interest in filling a vacancy on the Personnel Board. Appointments will be made at next week's meeting.

- Mr. Dennis F. Luttrell, Executive Director of the Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC), submitted the committee's Annual Report. Mr.

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### Veal Michael

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### Veal Veronique

*Lightly Breaded Veal, sautéed, topped with White Seedless Grapes and melted Swiss Cheese. Brown Lemon Butter.*

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Luttrell also requested a meeting with the Board for the purpose of discussing the placement of two articles in the next Annual Town Meeting warrant.

Selectman Mahoney requested the articles to be submitted in advance of Mr. Luttrell's meeting with the Board.

- The Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School 1993-1994 Operating and Maintenance Budget was submitted with Mattapoisett's assessment at \$124,444.22 out of a total assessment of \$2,106,129.

- Notification was received from the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) that the Town's request for a listing as a DEP-Approved Municipal Recycling Program has been granted.

- Water/Sewer Superintendent William T. Nicholson submitted a copy of a letter mailed in answer to a resident's concerns with regard to water rates.

- Hands Across the River Coalition invited the Board to attend a Ham & Bean Dinner on Sunday, March 28, from 3:00 to 6:00 pm at the VFW Office, Seaport Inn, Fairhaven.

- Mattapoisett Police Officer Joseph Perkins, President of the Police Brotherhood, requested a meeting with the Board of Selectmen and the Brotherhood Negotiating Committee at the Selectmen's convenience.

The was no outgoing correspondence.

The Annual Herring Meeting will be held in the Selectmen's Office on Thursday, February 18 at 7:00 pm.

Executive Secretary Carol Adams reported that the Town Reports for 1991 are ready and

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Selectman acknowledged that four applications for the position of Fire Chief have been received so far. The applicants are Walter Morgado, (Deputy Fire Chief) of Cathaway Lane; Evelyn Ellis of Fairhaven Road; Gary Gaspar (formerly with the Mattapoisett Fire Department); and Ronald E. Scott (Fire Department Captain) of Acushnet Road.

There being no further business to come before the board, the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm.

### Marion Selectmen's Meeting *February 16, 1993*

A meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, February 16 at 7:02 pm. Since Chairwoman Loretta B. Schaefer was not present, Selectman James S. Dougall called the meeting to order and presided over throughout. Also present were Selectman Edwin "Ted" Pratt Jr., Executive Secretary Ray E. Pickles and Secretary Helene Craver.

After approving a liquor license and eight credit memorandums, the board unanimously approved the following twelve people to serve on the Music Hall study committee as requested at last week's meeting: Claude Miquelle, Ellen Stone, Jonathan E. Dickerson, Ann R. Washburn, Charles Cann, Clayton Hagy, Joan Ten Eyck, William R. Washburn, Trudy Kingery, Warren L. Washburn, Brenda Gibbons, Jane Babbit, and Danielle Coffin.

Chairwoman Schaefer, who will also sit on the committee, will call the first meeting at a future date.

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The board also unanimously approved the following:

- a final water reading bill of \$540.88
- a real estate tax refund for \$436.81
- four motor vehicle excise taxes, totaling \$123.41.

Selectmen next entertained a recommendation from Town Clerk/Treasurer/Collector Helen G. Westergard via memo of the purchase a bond for \$1,940,000 to be used for construction and improvements on the Perry Hill wells (north and south) as approved by the 1992 Annual Town Meeting. The low bidder on the bond, at 4.3546 percent, was Kidder Peabody & Company. Selectman Pratt moved the bond purchase, which was seconded and made unanimous by Selectman Dougall.

Both Selectman Dougall and Selectman Pratt were very proud of the fact that the Town of Marion was able to purchase bonds at such low interest rates due to its A-1 Bond Rating. Marion is one of the few municipalities in the state with a perfect bond rating.

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The board next approved the minutes of the February 9 meeting and signed the warrants and correspondence for the week.

Selectman Dougall reported for Department of Public Works (DPW) Superintendent Robert Zora that work is progressing on Point Road and the department is also tackling the continued problems with town lagoons in the aftermath of excessive rainfall throughout the month.

The DPW is also continuing their reading of residential water meters throughout Marion. "We're going to read all the meters in town over the next three years," Mr. Dougall said. "We started last year and need to make sure that they're all functioning properly."

At 7:15 pm, Cable Advisory Committee Chairman Al Winters came before the board to update them on the progress they've made in dealing with Continental Cablevision in preparation for their contract renewal in 1994.

"We've been looking especially at the use of an I-NET (Institutional Network) to be installed in municipal departments and particularly to link the schools," Mr. Winters said. "With the system, we could transfer either video or data signals between departments and even set up a remote surveillance

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system for the police department."

Selectman Pratt agreed the new technology is something the town and region should look at more closely and take advantage of in the next contract negotiation with Continental Cablevision. "One of the things many town departments don't think about are the possibilities of cable television in the future," he said. "In a way, the Cable Advisory Committee should begin educating the town (departments) on the best ways to use these advancements in the future."

Mr. Winters also agreed that the area schools — including ORR and Tabor Academy — can be hooked into the I-NET system, but if they aren't willing to share information on mutual basis, he would recommend not linking them to the network.

"If any of the schools aren't willing to come back with a sharing plan," he said, "we might have to look at a different way of developing the system because we're going to have to pay for much of the equipment and installation."

Finally, Mr. Winters presented a cable questionnaire which will be mailed to 2000 post office boxholders in Marion. The questionnaire will give the committee a better sense of how residents view Continental Cablevision's service to the town and also help the group gauge what changes and/or improvements need to be made in the service now provided.

"We just want to see what residents like and dislike about Continental Cablevision and then use the information in negotiating the contract renewal," Mr. Winters said.

Mr. Pratt suggested adding a question about computer modem/data exchange systems which would give the committee an idea of those who would be interested and capable of utilizing such a system in the future.

The contract renewal with Continental Cable — which expires in June, 1994 — could be entered for a maximum of 10 years by law, according to Mr. Winters. With the proposed advancements in optical

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wiring and I-NET, Mr. Winters said the company probably isn't going to want a contract less than 10 years due to long-term improvement costs.

Both Selectman Pratt and Selectman Dougall recommended that Mr. Winters and the committee stay the course and try to keep the base cable rates as low as possible. The board also unanimously moved the questionnaire which will be mailed out to residents within the next month.

Under incoming correspondence for the week, Selectman Dougall cited a letter from the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), which approved the Town of Marion as an "Approved Municipal Recycling Program." This certification — of which both Mattapoissett and Rochester are also eligible — exempts the towns from trash inspections of metal and glass before being sent to SEMASS.

A letter was sent from the Buzzards Bay Action Committee (BBAC) advising the board that the group's Annual Report is now available and bringing Selectmen up to speed on what has transpired over the last year.

Selectman Pratt, who serves on the committee, explained that the group has made great strides throughout the past year. "We'll have over \$200,000 made directly available to towns in grants," he said. "The town has also received a \$25,000 grant for a Water Treatment Facility at Silvershell Beach. The Buzzards Bay Action Committee has been of significant benefit to the town ... it's an excellent example of what towns can do by joining forces."

Mr. Dougall asked if any progress has been made in hiring a Regional Health Agent for the area. Mr. Pratt said he had received responses from everyone except Mattapoissett and would contact

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them later this week.

There being no further business to come before the Board of Selectmen, they went into session as the Board of Health to first take up a 7:45 pm Sanitary Code Hearing for the Biner property located at 86 Hammett's Cove Road.

Present for the hearing was William Saltonstall, Architect of the proposed project to construct and addition to the Biner home. The property owners requested a variance from the Marion Sanitary Code flow rate to reduce the size of the leaching field within 100 feet of the harbor.

"There's not a whole lot to add since the last time I came before the board," Mr. Saltonstall said. "I've been tracking the ground water where the leaching field was tested and I think we're seeing a very wide separation here. I think we're seeing a greater distance from the waterfront than previously thought."

"I think the biggest concern here was the proximity to the harbor," said Mr. Dougall. "I know this property and there's a good runoff available."

Mr. Pratt agreed. "I think it's a good plan as presented and I move the variance," he said, which was seconded and made unanimous by Selectman Dougall.

Lastly, Selectman Pratt advised the board that they had received information from the Center for Disease Control on a variety of programs now readily available to help stop the spread of disease in area towns. Working through the Marion Visiting Nurses Association, Mr. Pratt hopes to see some of these programs, which deal with everything from AIDS to domestic violence, implemented in the months ahead.

This information, in addition to copies of the Marion Sanitary Code and other noteworthy items for the Board of Health are being put together in a notebook for the incoming members of the town's new Board of Health later this year.

There being no further matters to come before the board, they adjourned at 8:03 pm.

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Thanks to the efforts of our faithful readers and the local branch of Animal Umbrella, Inc. the two five-month-old, long-haired tigers featured here last week were placed in an area home. But, as always, local representatives Mary Lou Kobak and Priscilla Thompson seem to stumble on other lost and stray animals just as fast as they place them.

New offerings this week include a black and white, 4- to 5-month-old female kitten who was rescued from the median strip on Route 6 in Dartmouth just this week. Also up for consideration are two 7- to 8-month-old kittens who have to be placed since their original owners have moved from the area. One is a long-haired black, the other is a short-haired grey.

And there are two gorgeous adult calicos available, both of which have been spayed and have been given all their necessary shots.

Still up for adoption from last week are:

- one orange and one tiger, both long-haired and have been spayed
- three black & white females
- two black & tan tigers
- one orange & white tiger, with a recently-amputated tail.

If you are interested in adopting one of these animals, or if you'd like to offer your services to this needy group, please call either Priscilla Thompson at 758-2896 or Mary Lou Kobak at 758-9202.

The group would like to offer a special word of "thanks" to everyone and anyone who has been generously donating to their cause at the Fairhaven Kmart on Route 6. The group has managed to sustain many of its vital services through contributions from area residents and is extremely grateful for the community's continued support. The collection bottles will remain available at the Kmart store throughout 1993 through the courtesy of the store's management and staff.

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The following listings are for the week of  
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### Breaks

- Long Plain Road — break into motor vehicle
- Pease's Point — break into cottage

### Larceny

- Pease's Point — larceny from cottage

### Vandalism

- Long Plain Road — vandalism to mailboxes

Arrests: 7

Citations: 13

Accidents: 4

Ambulance Runs: 5

Fires/Related: 2

Total Calls for Service: 97

## Rochester Police Log

The following listings are for the week of  
February 6 - 12, 1993:

- Jason's Lane — fire alarm
- Walnut Plain Road — suspicious activity
- Mattapoissett Road — suspicious activity
- Featherbed Lane — alarm
- Snipatuit Road — suspicious activity
- Alley Road — alarm
- New Bedford Road — alarm
- Mattapoissett Road — suspicious activity
- North Avenue — burglar alarm
- High Street — alarm
- North Avenue/Benson Road — incapacitated

person

- Rounseville Road — alarm.

## Marion Police Log

The following listings are for the week of  
February 7 - 13, 1993:

- Wareham Road — burglar alarm
- Main Street — burglar alarm
- Barros Drive — gunshots reported
- Wareham Road — suspicious person
- Front Street — fire alarm
- East Avenue — suspicious activity
- Holly Lane — family disturbance
- Wareham Road — vandalism, past
- River Road — burglar alarm
- Indian Cove Road — burglar alarm
- Point Road — motor vehicle stop, arrest made  
(operating w/ suspended license)
- Wareham Road — burglar alarm
- Point Road — suspicious motor vehicle.

## Tri-Town AARP Meeting

A Tri-Town American Association of Retired  
Persons (AARP) Meeting will be held on Tuesday,  
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### Tri-Town Phone Directory Advertising Deadline

The deadline is approaching for the acceptance of advertisements for the Marion/Mattapoissett/Rochester Telephone Directory produced by the local League of Women Voters. All last year's advertisers have been informed that it is time to send in their renewals, but in case the notification sank in a sea of January paperwork, please call Claire Russell for a new form at 748-2542.



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The League Phone Book divides its listing by town. Marion, Mattapoissett and Rochester are each separate. It also includes a map of each town as well as a listing up front of important community resource numbers. In addition to these advantages, the directory's advertisers are included in a classified section. Small businesses and services may also buy classified listings independent of an ad. This book is mailed FREE of charge to every postal patron in the three towns and all the schools and town halls are supplied with extra FREE copies. It has become a local tradition.

Another reminder: anyone who wants to modify or change an address or telephone number should send in the postcard in the back of this year's book. If you are in the tri-town area and want to be listed, call Claire Russell at the above number or send a postcard with the necessary information to LWV Phone Book, 42 Stoney Run Lane, Marion, MA 02738.

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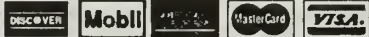
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## Friends of the Elderly — Mattapoisett

Senior Workshop is held at Village Court every Wednesday. All area residents are welcome. If you need a ride, you may call the COA, they will be glad to help you.

The Seahorse sun catchers are in. They are now on sale at the Seaport Pharmacy and the Mattapoisett Pharmacy along with suction cups. The cost is \$5 for the Seahorse, and 50 cents for the suction cups plus tax.

SHARE distribution for the month will be held on February 27 at the Old Hammonds town School. Please come between 12:00 noon and 1:30 pm. You may also register for March at that time. Remember: you do not need to be a resident of Mattapoisett to be eligible.

## Annual League Lasagna Dinner

The Marion/Mattapoisett/Rochester League of Women Voters (LWV) will hold its annual winter Lasagna Dinner on Thursday night, February 25, in St. Gabriel's Parish Hall on South Street in Marion. Everyone is welcome. Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm in order to allow ample time for the following panel discussion on "Education on the Front



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The presentation of these informed and dedicated speakers will enlighten listeners as to "what is cooking on this hot issue." As always in League events, there will be time for questions from

the floor.

For dinner there will be a choice of either meat or vegetable lasagna as well as bread and salad. Teenagers are welcome. The cost of the evening is \$6, which may be paid at the door by cash or check. If possible, please phone reservations ahead to: Jackie Van Vooris at 758-6727.

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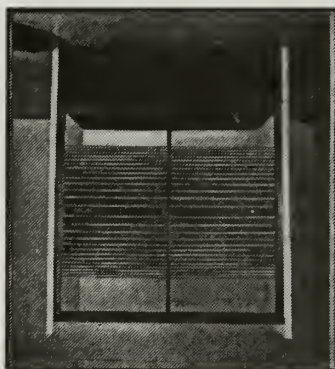
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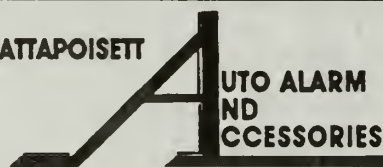
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President DeWalt distributed to Mr. Reed and Mr. Murphy each a PTA decal to be placed in a prominent area in the school.

President DeWalt attended the state PTA meeting in Arlington on January 30. She received numerous ideas from other PTA presidents and found the meeting to be rewarding and informative.

President DeWalt also urged PTA members and all parents to attend the school budget meeting on March 8.

Vice President Kathy Hickey, who is filling in temporarily for Corresponding Secretary Gena Griffith, handed out the many "thank you" notes from OHS students for the wonderful performance by Alice McGill held at Old Hammondtown on January 28.

The Secretary's Report and Treasurer's Report were read and accepted as read.

#### *New Business*

Mrs. Connie Suzan, SOS Representative (Center School), had seven requests from the following teachers: Ms. Roylance, Mrs. Lesco, Mrs. Carr, Mr. Bradshaw, Mrs. Hiller, and Mrs. Bowman. All requests were accepted by the members present.

Mrs. Duane Smith SOS Representative (Old Hammondtown), will distribute a notice to the staff at OHS explaining the SOS rules.

#### *Principals' Requests*

Mr. Bill Reed had two requests. The first was for monies to be appropriated for International Association of Jazz Educators (IAJE) on May 5. The motion was accepted.

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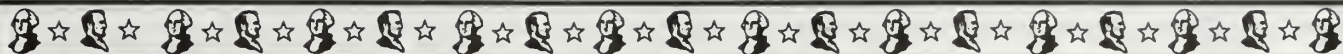
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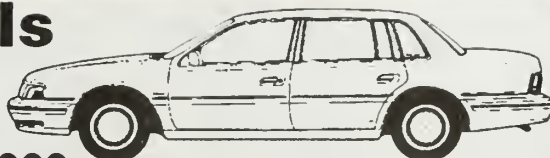


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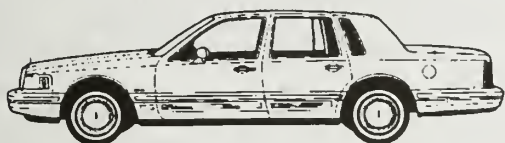
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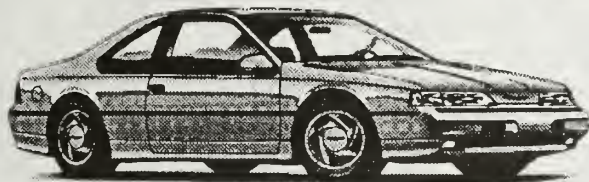
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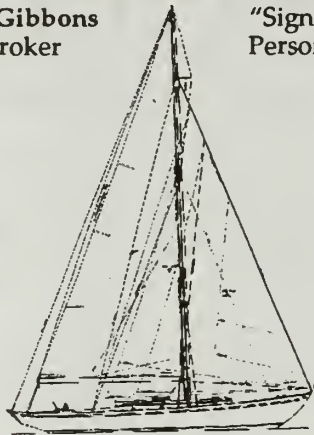
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Mr. Murphy requested monies for four teachers to participate in Newspapers and Education. Motion was accepted by all present.

**PTA Speakers**

A motion was granted for the possibility of Mrs. Barbara Puglisi, a special needs teacher, to speak at a Parent/Teacher Night in May on "Encouraging vs. Praising Your Children." Kathy Hickey will check into the matter and report back to the PTA at the next meeting. This program will be co-sponsored by Chapter One and the PTA.

**PTA Logo**

President DeWalt distributed PTA logos designed by the Sixth Grade students at OHS.

**Fundraising**

Donna Schuyler reported that eight Buzzards Bay sweatshirts and three Center School sweatshirts were sold. Volunteers are needed to sell Center School sweatshirts at Science Day.

If anyone is interested in purchasing a Center School or Old Hammondtown sweatshirt, please contact Rita Stinson at 758-6725.

Mrs. Schuyler also reported that Innisbrook wrapping paper fundraiser will take place in September with the order deadline date of September 20. Chairpeople are needed for promotion and distribution of gift wrap.

**Amendment to By-Laws**

President DeWalt asked everyone to read over the PTA By-Laws. A motion to amend the By-Laws will be brought forward at the March meeting.

**Spring Clean-Up Day**

A motion was voted and accepted that Spring

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Clean-Up Day will be held on May 1 from 9:00 - 11:00 am. More details to follow in the upcoming months.

The next PTA meeting will be on Tuesday, March 9. We encourage more parents to join in on discussing and making decisions regarding how the PTA can enhance our schools.

## Veterans' Services Offers Toll-Free Help-Line

The Veteran's Administration (VA) is encouraging veterans who were exposed to radiation during military service, including reservists and national guard personnel who served

during the Persian Gulf War, to call a special toll-free telephone help-line for current information and assistance.

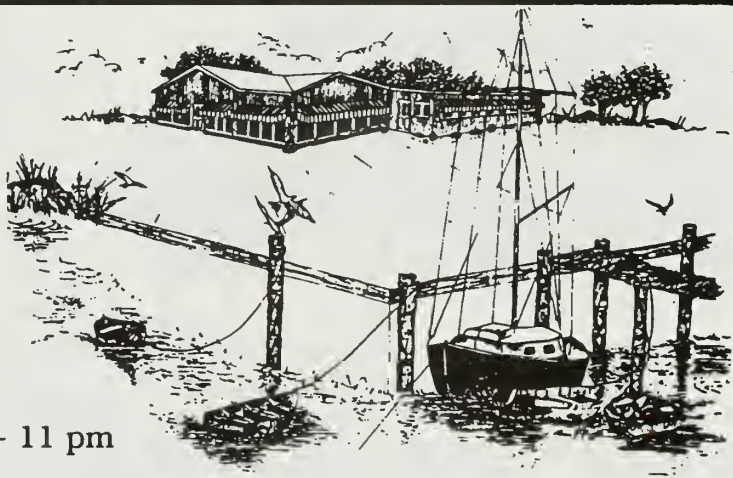
VA counselors will explain benefits, services, and medical research related to radiation exposure and provide assistance in filing or re-opening radiation-related disability compensation claims.

The 24-hour, toll-free number — 1-800-827-0365 — was inaugurated in August 1991. Since then, the VA has received calls from more than 10,000 veterans and their families.

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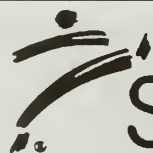


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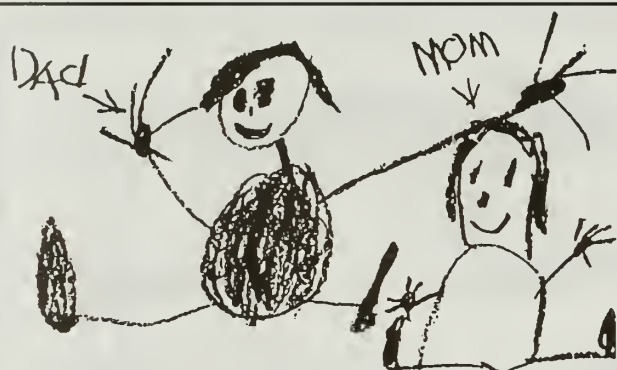
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The help-line is available to veterans and family members weekdays from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm Eastern time and is staffed by counselors at the VA Regional Office and Insurance Center in Philadelphia. After-hours and weekend calls will be returned the following business day.

The radiation help-line supplements the VA's single, nationwide, toll-free number — 1-800-827-1000 — inaugurated on October 26.

## Local Groups Present PCB Incineration Film

The Mattapoisett and Sippican Land Trusts will sponsor the showing of the PCB (polychlorinated biphenels) incineration film, "The Rush to Burn," at 7:30 pm on Thursday, February 25 at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church.

This informational film will be presented by the Hands Across the River Coalition which was organized last year and is concerned with the incineration of PCB's at a portable facility to be installed at the bottom of Sawyer Street in New Bedford next fall.

The New Bedford/Fairhaven Harbor has been on the national Superfund site list for the past ten

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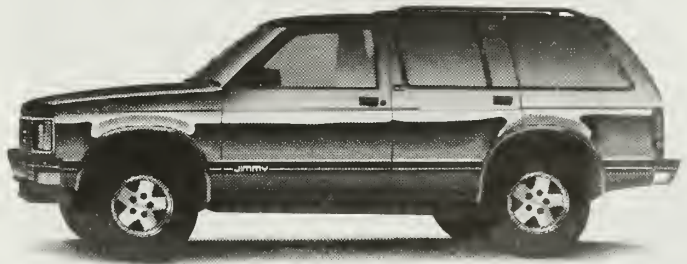
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## Memorial Scholarships

Once again applications are available for the Mattapoissett Congregational Church Memorial Scholarships.

To be eligible, an applicant must be a resident of Mattapoissett, Marion, or Rochester, but need not be a member of the church. An applicant must be a high school senior graduating in June or a previous high school graduate who has applied for, or is re-entering, an accredited post-secondary education program.

Applications are available at the Mattapoissett Congregational Church office, 27 Church Street, Monday - Friday from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. Deadline for filing the application is April 2.

Anyone interested in contributing to this scholarship program is encouraged to do so at any time. Donations may be made to celebrate joyous occasions like anniversaries and special birthdays as well as to honor the memory of a loved one.

## ORR High School

*Student of the Month*

The faculty at ORR High School has named Jenny Bratby of Mattapoissett as Student of the Month for January.

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### **Buzzards Bay Project Releases Water Quality Results**

The Buzzards Bay Project and the Coalition for Buzzards Bay have jointly released the first water quality test results based on data collected last summer by Citizens' Water Quality Monitoring Program volunteers. These results are being hailed as an important step in prioritizing areas for non-point source pollution management, as recommended in the Buzzards Bay Comprehensive Conservation and Management Plan.

Among the 89 sites evaluated for dissolved oxygen, the stations with the worst (lowest) mean oxygen concentrations were Barlows Landing (Bourne), Acushnet River (New Bedford Inner Harbor), and Upper Aucoot Cove (Marion). The

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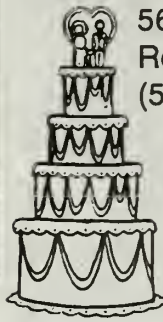
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**Marion Woman Receives MBA in England**

Gail A. Barnett, daughter of Maurice and Alexena Barnett of 118 Converse Road, Marion, recently graduated from Newcastle University in England with a Master's Degree in Mechanical Engineering. Ms. Barnett, who attended Bishop Stang High School, is employed by Nissan U.K. as a graduate engineer in the quality control department.

**Massachusetts Repertory Theater to  
Hold Auditions**

The Massachusetts Repertory Theater, Inc., southeastern Massachusetts' newest professional musical theater company, will hold auditions for the 1993 summer season at the UMass Dartmouth Main Auditorium on Saturday, February 27 starting at 10:00 am sharp.

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Shows under consideration are "Moby Dick ... A Whale of a Tale," by Robert Longdon and Hereward Kaye. This is a pop-rock musical comedy romp with much dancing. This production will be the United States' premiere of a show that opened in London's West End last April.

Also under consideration is "Three Canteens," by Tom Higgins. This new musical comedy revue, set during World War II, utilizes the lush music, robust humor, and frenetic dancing of that era. The show tells the nostalgic tale of three theatrical people, a soldier M.C., a lonely singer, and her famous movie-star husband as they become caught up in the century's most devastating conflict.

All auditionees must prepare a one minute monologue and 16 - 32 bars of an up-tempo song. There will be a two minute time limit on all auditions. A dance/movement audition will follow for all auditionees. Please bring dance clothes and shoes.

All area performers are welcomed and encouraged to attend. The REP enjoyed a successful summer last year and 1993 promises to be even better.

### Marion Art Center

*Young People's Theater*

Young People's Theater classes resume at the Marion Art Center on February 23. Instructor Jessica Shepardson offers the following courses for Grades 1

through 9, with a performance at the conclusion of each session:

- Grades 1 - 3 (Boys) — Tuesday February 23 - May 4 from 3:30 to 4:30 pm. Fee for the 10-week session: \$82.50, members; \$87 non-members.

- Grades 1 - 3 (Girls) — Wednesday, February 24 - May 4 from 3:30 to 4:30 pm. Fee for the 10-week session: \$82.50, members; \$87, non-members.

- Grades 4 - 6 (Level I) — Tuesday, February 23 - May 19 from 4:30 - 6:00 pm. Fee for the 12-week session: \$100, members; \$105, non-members.

- Grades 4 - 6 (Level II) — Wednesday, February 24 - May 20 from 4:30 - 6:00 pm. Fee for the 12-week session: \$100, members; \$105, non-members.

- Grades 7 - 9 (Level III) — Tuesday, February 23 - June 1 from 6:00 - 7:30 pm. Fee for the 14-week session: \$119, members; \$125, non-members.

- Grades 7 - 9 (Level IV) — Wednesday, February 24 - June 9 from 6:00 - 7:30 pm. Fee for the 15-week session: \$125, members; \$130, non-members.

A Life Drawing workshop for experienced artists will be offered at the Marion Art Center. The six-week session meets on Tuesday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 pm, beginning March 2. Any medium is acceptable. There is no instructor. The fee is \$30 for members, \$35 for non-members.

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The Mattapoissett COA is accepting appointments for Mr. John Hall to help seniors with their tax returns. The appointments will be taken for Wednesday only. Please call the Mattapoissett COA office for a time. Mr. Hall would like to remind everyone to bring this year's pertinent tax materials and also last year's tax return forms.

### Hearing Assessment

This is the last week to make an appointment for a FREE hearing assessment sponsored by the COA office and Dr. Wendy Stern of Wareham. The last date to call the Mattapoissett COA office is February 19 for the van to transport you to the assessment. Please call 758-4110. The assessment will take place on February 23.

### Spring Flower Show

The senior van will be going to the Spring Flower Show on March 11. The van will leave Village Court at 9:15 am and St. Anthony's parking lot at 9:30 am. Tickets are available for \$10 each which includes van transportation. The deadline for ticket monies is Wednesday, February 24. If you are interested, please call the COA at 758-4110. The van trip is on a first-come, first-served basis.

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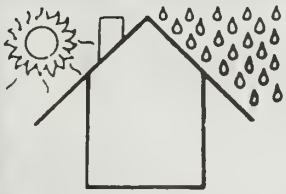


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- Dr. Thomas Streeter — 2:30 - 3:30 (Specialty: General Surgery).
- Dr. Wendy Stern — 1:30 - 3:30 (Specialty: Ear, Nose, and Throat; Head and Neck Surgery).
- Dr. David Stroud — 1:30 - 3:30 (Specialty: Internal Medicine).

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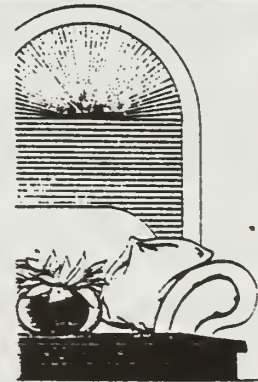


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### St. Anthony's Parish — Mattapoissett

#### Mass Schedule

The Mass schedule at St. Anthony's Church is as follows: Saturday — 4:30 pm; Sunday — 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 am. Daily Mass is held at 8:00 am.

#### Religious Education

No preschool class on Sunday, February 21. Classes begin for Grades 7 and 8 on Monday, February 22 in the church hall from 6:45 to 8:00 pm. Letters and a schedule of classes will be mailed before classes begin.

#### Lenten Schedule

Ash Wednesday (February 24) marks the beginning of this Lenten Season with Masses at 8:00 am and 7:00 pm, with the distribution of ashes following each liturgy. Regular daily Mass will continue at 8:00 am and on Friday evenings there will be Lenten devotions with the Stations of the

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Ash Wednesday is a day of fast and abstinence while all Fridays in Lent are days of abstinence. On Sunday, March 7, we will observe a day of Eucharistic Prayer with Exposition of the Eucharist beginning after the 11:00 am Mass and ending at the celebration of Evening Prayer at 4:30 pm. A potluck supper for all will follow in the church hall.

For further information, please call Mary Callan at 758-6024.

**Rochester School Committee Meeting**

A meeting of the Rochester School Committee will be held on February 25 at 7:30 pm in the auditorium of Memorial School on Pine Street in Rochester.

**Old Colony Voke**

*Old Colony VICA Winners*

Old Colony recently completed its local VICA competition for 1993. VICA (Vocational Industrial Clubs of America) provides opportunities for

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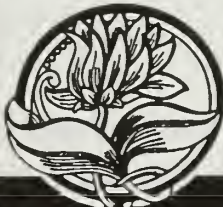


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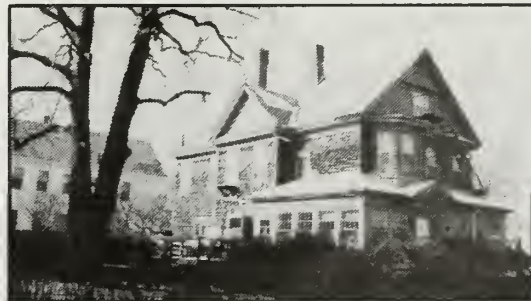
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Old Colony students who placed first, second, or third are eligible to compete in the District competition scheduled for March 3 in Bourne. Old Colony students will be competing in a variety of disciplines and winners from Bourne will be eligible for state competition among students from the three districts in Massachusetts.

In addition, four students have already qualified for state competition in ancillary areas. These students will compete in the areas of extemporaneous and prepared speech and job skill demonstration.

Winners from the tri-town area in each academic category are as follows:

- Architectural Drafting — First Place: Michael Trott (Mattapoisett)
- Cosmetology (Under 500 hours) — First Place: Brandi Charest, stylist (Rochester)
- Cosmetology (Over 500 hours) — First Place: Cheryl Forand, stylist (Rochester); Roselie Skrutski, model (Rochester)
- Culinary Arts — Third Place: Justin Gagne (Mattapoisett)
- Electronics — Third Place: John McKinney (Mattapoisett)
- Health Services — Second Place: Heather Sol (Rochester)
- Machine Drafting — First Place: Jennifer Herbert (Rochester); Third Place: Shannon Bancroft (Rochester)
- Welding — Third Place: Greg Weigel (Rochester).

#### *Outstanding Vocational Student*


Old Colony senior Michelle Cote has been selected as a nominee for the prestigious Outstanding Vocational Student Award established by the Massachusetts Department of Education who recognize five outstanding vocational students in the state.

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Michelle ranks first in her class in cumulative grade point average. She is also active in extra-curricular activities, serving as a member of the National Honor Society.

A resident of Carver, Ms. Cote plans to work in the culinary field after graduation.

*Old Colony Student to Present Workshop*

Sharon Tripanier of Rochester, President of the Student Council (MASC) at Old Colony, has been selected to present a workshop at the Massachusetts Association of Student Councils' State Conference next month in Hyannis.

Ms. Tripanier submitted her proposal to MASC in December and was recently informed that she was selected. Her workshop, titled "Organizing for Change," will present a new method for organizing high school student councils along non-traditional roles.

Ms. Tripanier will spend three days in Hyannis as will the entire Old Colony student council as part of the State Convention.

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## LEGAL NOTICES

### TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, March 2, 1993 at 7:45 pm in Room 203 of the Mattapoisett Town Hall concerning the application of Robert M. Sherman for a proposed subdivision of land located on Fairview Drive and shown as lots 152, 158 & 165 on Mattapoisett Assessors' Plat 17. Complete plans for the subdivision are on file in the office of the Town Clerk and may be inspected by any interested party during the normal business hours of the Clerk's Office.

Christopher Jaskolka

Clerk, Mattapoisett Planning Board

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### TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT NOTICE OF TRASH PICK-UP SCHEDULE

As of January 1, 1993, Trash pick-up in Mattapoisett will be on Thursdays and Fridays regardless of holidays unless the holiday falls on a Thursday or Friday. Please have your rubbish at the curb by 7:00 am on your pickup day.

If you have any questions or need further information, please call (508) 758-4112.

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Mattapoisett Board of Health

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### TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF APPEALS

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the application of Peter S. Macgregor, 125 Vaughan Hill Road, for a Variance from set back requirements under Section VIII C.3. of Protective By-laws.

Hearing will be held Thursday, February 25, 1993 at 7:30 pm in the Town Hall Conference Room.

Richard D. Cutler, Chairman

Board of Appeals

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### TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 23, 1993, at 7:05 pm in the Town Hall on the request for a Determination of Applicability submitted by Morgan H. Plummer. The proposed project is the licensing of an existing pier, as required by MGL Chapter 91.

The project is located at 13 Shipyard Lane, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 and is further identified as Lot 249, of Assessors Map 5A.

Ronald Scott, Chairman

Conservation Commission

2/19

### TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 23, 1993, at 7:10 pm in the Town Hall on the request for a Determination of Applicability submitted by Bertram Zarins. The proposed project is to license and maintain existing filled pier, as required by MGL Chapter 91. The project is located at 5 Shipyard Lane, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 and is further identified as Lot 77, of Assessors Map 8.

Ronald Scott, Chairman

Conservation Commission

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### MATTAPOISETT PUBLIC SCHOOLS Mattapoisett, Massachusetts

Pursuant to Section 23A, Chapter 39, General Laws, you are notified that there will be a PUBLIC HEARING of the Mattapoisett School Committee regarding the 1993-1994 budget for the Mattapoisett Public Schools at 7:30 pm, on Monday, March 8, 1993, at the Old Hammondtown School, Shaw Street, Mattapoisett, Massachusetts. 2/19

### OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester, Massachusetts

Pursuant to Section 23A, Chapter 39, General Laws, you are notified that there will be a PUBLIC HEARING of the 1993-1994 Old Rochester Regional District School budget at 7:30 pm, on Tuesday, March 9, 1993, in the Dr. Joseph C. Kunces Memorial Library, Old Rochester Regional High School, Mattapoisett, Massachusetts. 2/19

### MARION PUBLIC SCHOOLS Marion, Massachusetts

Pursuant to Section 23A, Chapter 39, General Laws, you are notified that there will be a PUBLIC HEARING of the Marion School Committee regarding the 1993-1994 budget for the Marion Public Schools at 7:30 pm, on Wednesday, March 10, 1993, at the Sippican School, Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts. 2/19

### ROCHESTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS Rochester, Massachusetts

Pursuant to Section 23A, Chapter 39, General Laws, you are notified that there will be a PUBLIC HEARING of the Rochester School Committee regarding the 1993-1994 budget for the Rochester Public Schools at 7:30 pm, on Thursday, March 18, 1993, at the Rochester Memorial School, 16 Pine Street, Rochester, Massachusetts. 2/19

### TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, February 23, 1993, at 7:30 pm in the Town Hall on the request for a Notice of Intent submitted by Donald W. Morgan. The proposed project is to rebuild house destroyed by Hurricane Bob on new pile-support foundation within FEMA zone EU: install new septic system. The project is located at 35 Cove Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 and is further identified as Lot 78, of Assessors Map 1.

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**Old Colony Receives PALMS Grants**

Old Colony recently received notification from the Massachusetts Department of Education that it will receive a PALMS Partnership Grant. PALMS (Partnerships Advancing Learning of Mathematics and Science) is an initiative to improve the teaching and learning of math and science throughout the Commonwealth. Paul Fortier, an Old Colony instructor, will coordinate the school's efforts with the state.

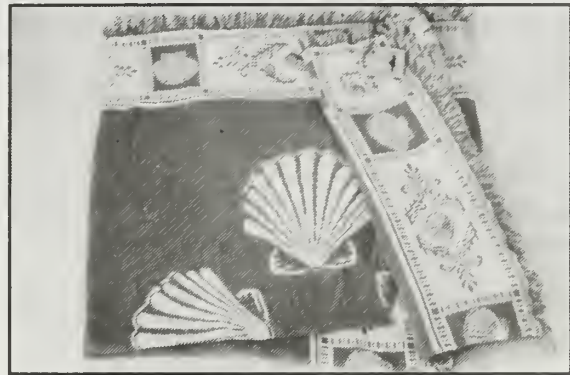
PALMS is funded statewide by a five year, \$10 million grant from the National Science Foundation. "Dealing With Death"

On February 25, Old Colony will present "Dealing With Death: Grieving and Healing." This program will be the fourth in a series offered FREE of charge to the member communities through its Parents as Partners grant.

Beginning at 6:30 pm, Dealing With Death will explore aspects of recovery following the passing of a family member or friend. It will be directed by Carol Chandonnet, a counselor at Wareham Hospice.

Parents of Old Colony students, other members of the regional community and students are invited to attend. All programs are held in the library; refreshments will be served. For further information, please call Irene at 763-8011.

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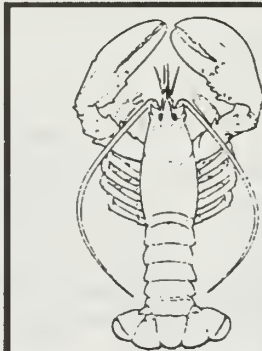
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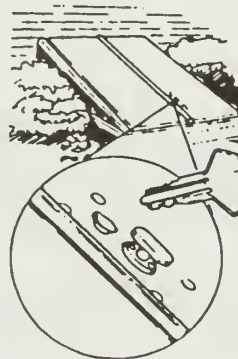
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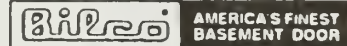
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### Mattapoissett Lions Club

#### Meeting Notes

A club meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 24 at Antone's restaurant. The visiting dignitary will be District Governor Vincent Muir. All members are strongly urged to support the club by attending this event.

#### Board of Directors Meeting

A meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on March 1 at Shepley Shoals.

#### Elders Dinner

An Elders Dinner will be held on Saturday, March 13. For further information, please contact Lion Stan Tenters.

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- May 10 - 14 — Overnight trip to Granit Hotel.
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Monday, February 22:

- 6:00 pm P.A.C.E.
- 6:30 pm Drawing With Dave
- 7:00 pm TV TRIVIA Live!
- 8:00 pm 8 at 8 News & Events

Tuesday, February 23:

- 6:00 pm Faith In Action  
Hosted by  
Reverend George Taylor
- 6:30 pm Books and the World
- 7:00 pm Right to the Point  
Rep. Bill Straus
- 7:30 pm ORR Sign Post  
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- 8:00 pm Sippican School Events

Wednesday, February 24:

- 6:00 pm Shapes
- 6:30 pm Right to the Point  
Rep. Bill Straus
- 7:00 pm Prime Ministers of the Cape  
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## Book Review

### A Violent Act

• Alec Wilkinson, Alfred A. Knopf, \$22

When 40-year-old Mike Wayne Jackson finally went off and killed Tom E. Gahl, his new probation officer, then two others in his flight from Indianapolis to Wright City, Missouri, it was a shock for those who knew him, but not a surprise.

And although his murderous rampage would make him the most sought-after criminal at large in America on September 22, 1986, Jackson's crimes were probably no great surprise to millions of newspaper readers across the country either. Things like this happen every day in America. Anxious, desperate, ignored men meet a breaking point. It is, sadly, almost run of the mill.

Alec Wilkinson's account, however, is anything but run of the mill. Wilkinson explores the slaying of Gahl and Jackson's desperate flight, the 11-day hunt for him in the fields and farms of Missouri, Gahl's family's grief, and all the other thoughts and acts that rippled out from that initial killing. His book is, quite simply, the best true crime book I have read in at least a decade. In fact, this slender volume is so good that it easily surpasses the usual limitations of the true crime genre and begs for comparison with such powerful literary works as *In Cold Blood*.

Not that *A Violent Act* is actually like *In Cold Blood*. No, though it shares the drama, sheer readability, and sorrow resonance of truth of Truman Capote's book, Wilkinson's book is completely his own. And like any truly original work it defies easy summary or description. The power of *A Violent Act* is in the telling.

Never straying from the solid specifics of the events and often using the accounts of witnesses and participants to telling effect, Wilkinson recreates the heightened awareness and the strange disassociation that attend uncommon events, and the painful struggle to reassemble lives in the wake of those events. *A Violent Act* is about something more than just the complicated acts of criminals and victims. It charts the terrain of human grief.

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## Regional Lunch Menus for February 19 to February 26

### Coastline Elderly Nutrition

**Friday, February 19:** New England Clam Chowder, Codfish Cakes, Baked Beans, Cole Slaw, Corn Bread, Blueberry Square.

**Monday, February 22:** Beef Liver w/ Onions, Boiled Potatoes, Broccoli Cuts, Oatmeal Bread, Chocolate Pound Cake.

**Tuesday, February 23:** Boneless Chicken w/ Sweet and Sour Sauce, Rice, Japanese Style Vegetables, White Bread, Peaches.

**Wednesday, February 24:** Country Beef Stew (carrots, potatoes), Corn Bread, Juice, Custard Pudding.

**Thursday, February 25:** Meat Pie w/ Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, California Blend Vegetables, Three Grain Bread, Fresh Fruit.

**Friday, February 26:** Fish Chowder, Baked Macaroni & Cheese, Broccoli, Pumpnickel Bread, Pears.

*Milk is served with each meal.  
For more information or to make a reservation please call 991-6264.*

### Bishop Stang High School

*Various meals available daily throughout the week, cafeteria style.*

### Center School

**Friday, February 19:** SCHOOL VACATION.

**Monday, February 22:** Chicken nuggets, mashed potato, carrots, cornbread, dessert, milk.

**Tuesday, February 23:** Beef taco, lettuce, tomato, cheese, or linguica dog, puffs, green beans, fruit, milk.

**Wednesday, February 24:** Toasted cheese, or stuffed shells, tossed salad, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Thursday, February 25:** Turkey and gravy, mashed potato, dinner roll, applesauce, peas, dessert, milk.

**Friday, February 26:** Soup, pizza (plain/pepperoni), salad, fruit, milk.

*Peanut Butter & Jelly and Peanut Butter & Fluff served as an alternate to each meal.*

### Old Hammondtown School

**Friday, February 19:** SCHOOL VACATION.

**Monday, February 22:** Chicken nuggets, mashed potato, carrots, dinner roll, dessert, milk.

**Tuesday, February 23:** Ham & cheese croissant, potato puffs, veggie sticks,

fruit, milk, or salad lunch.

**Wednesday, February 24:** Fish sticks, oven fries, cole slaw, or tuna roll, fruit, dessert, milk.

**Thursday, February 25:** Turkey and gravy with mashed potato, dinner roll, peas, fruit, milk, or salad lunch.

**Friday, February 26:** Soup, pizza, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

*Peanut Butter & Jelly and Peanut Butter & Fluff served as an alternate to each meal.*

*Salad Plates are also available.*

### ORR Junior High

**Friday, February 19:** SCHOOL VACATION.

**Monday, February 22:** Chicken rice soup, sloppy Joe, or chicken patties, broccoli, chips, pickles, dessert, juice or milk.

**Tuesday, February 23:** Lasagna, or Italian sub, green beans, garlic bread, dessert, juice or milk.

**Wednesday, February 24:** Vegetable soup, calzones, or chicken fritters, applesauce, peas, dessert, juice or milk.

**Thursday, February 25:** Turkey pie, or ham & cheese croissants, mashed potato, gravy, carrots, dessert, juice or milk.

**Friday, February 26:** Tacos, tuna roll, or rib-a-ques, lettuce with tomato, nachos, cheese sauce, dessert, juice.

### ORR Senior High

**Friday, February 19:** SCHOOL VACATION.

**Monday, February 22:** Chicken rice soup, sloppy Joe, or chicken patties, broccoli, chips, pickles, dessert, juice or milk.

**Tuesday, February 23:** Lasagna, or Italian sub, green beans, garlic bread, dessert, juice or milk.

**Wednesday, February 24:** Vegetable soup, calzones, or chicken fritters, applesauce, peas, dessert, juice or milk.

**Thursday, February 25:** Turkey pie, or ham & cheese croissants, mashed potato, gravy, carrots, dessert, juice or milk.

**Friday, February 26:** Tacos, tuna roll, or rib-a-ques, lettuce with tomato, nachos, cheese sauce, dessert, juice.

### Rochester Memorial School

**Friday, February 19:** SCHOOL VACATION.

**Monday, February 22:** Chickenburger on a roll, lettuce & tomato, or Cheeseburger, corn, French fries, fruit, milk or juice.

**Tuesday, February 23:** Meatball sub, or Steak'Um sandwich with/without cheese,

lettuce & tomato, French fries, veggie sticks, dessert, milk or juice.

**Wednesday, February 24:** Beef ravioli w/ sauce, French bread, or grilled cheese sandwich, green beans, chips, dessert, milk or juice.

**Thursday, February 25:** Ham & cheese croissant, or rib-a-que sandwich, chips, vegetable sticks, fruit, milk or juice.

**Friday, February 26:** Cheese or linguica pizza, tossed salad, juice, fruit, assorted dessert, milk.

*Peanut Butter & Jelly and Peanut Butter & Fluff served as an alternate to each meal.*

*Salad Plates are also available.*

### Old Colony Regional

**Friday, February 19:** SCHOOL VACATION.

**Monday, February 22:** Orange juice, meatball sub, rice or potato chips, peas, assorted dessert, milk

**Tuesday, February 23:** Mulligan soup, assorted sandwiches, potato patty, corn, chilled fruit, milk.

**Wednesday, February 24:** Fruit punch, American chop suey, green beans, corn bread, fruit crisp, milk.

**Thursday, February 25:** Salisbury steak, mashed potato, buttered carrots, yeast roll, strawberry shortcake, milk.

**Friday, February 26:** Tomato rice soup, tuna salad roll, or grilled cheese sandwich, cole slaw, frosted cake and milk.

### Upper Cape Cod Regional

**Friday, February 19:** SCHOOL VACATION.

**Monday, February 22:** Chicken patties on a roll, potato puffs, or tuna melts, potato chips, tossed salad, pudding, milk.

**Tuesday, February 23:** Burritos, Mexican rice, or egg salad rolls, potato chips, corn, fruit, milk.

**Wednesday, February 24:** Ravioli w/ tomato sauce, garlic sticks, or ham & cheese sub, potato chips, tossed salad, fruited jello, milk.

**Thursday, February 25:** Meat covered mashed potato, buttered bread, or sliced turkey on wheat, potato chips, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

**Friday, February 26:** Pizza w/ assorted toppings, pasta salad, or peanut butter and jelly, potato chips, tossed salad, brownies, milk.

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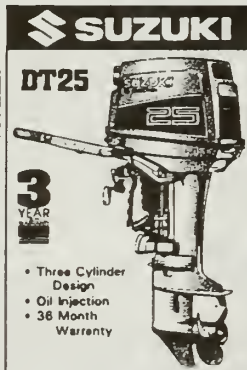
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## Sunrise and Sunset

Date	Day of Week	Rises a.m.	Sets p.m.	Length of Day h.:m.
February 19:	Fri.	6:36	5:21	10:45
February 20:	Sat.	6:34	5:23	10:49
February 21:	Sun.	6:33	5:24	10:51
February 22:	Mon.	6:31	5:25	10:54
February 23:	Tues.	6:30	5:26	10:56
February 24:	Wed.	6:28	5:28	11:00
February 25:	Thur.	6:26	5:29	11:03
February 26:	Fri.	6:25	5:30	11:05
February 27:	Sat.	6:23	5:31	11:08
February 28:	Sun.	6:22	5:33	11:11

## Phases of the Moon

	New Moon	February 21st	8:06 am
	First Quarter	March 1st	10:47 am
	Full Moon	March 8th	4:47 am
	Last Quarter	March 14th	11:17 pm

## Upcoming Astronomical Events

### Venus at its Greatest Brilliance

As the new moon begins to grow Venus can be seen nea by. On February 24 Venus will be at its brightest, but will also be in occultation of the Moon (obscured by the Moon).

## Local Tides

Date	Day	High		Low	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
February 19:	Fri.	6:19	6:38	12:15	12:47
February 20:	Sat.	7:00	7:18	12:51	1:10
February 21:	Sun.	7:38	7:57	1:18	1:33
February 22:	Mon.	8:17	8:36	1:46	1:57
February 23:	Tues.	8:54	9:12	2:15	2:23
February 24:	Wed.	9:31	9:50	2:44	2:54
February 25:	Thur.	10:08	10:29	3:16	3:26
February 26:	Fri.	10:48	11:12	3:53	4:01
February 27:	Sat.	11:31	11:57	4:33	4:42
February 28:	Sun.	...	12:25	5:19	5:30



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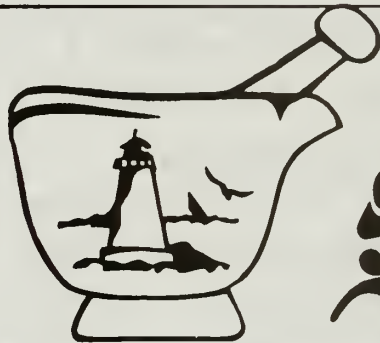
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